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# THE EVENING NEWS

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ADA IS AT PRESENT INVESTING several hundred thousand dollars in water works extension, sewerage construction, city hall erection, gas development, state normal college and what not.

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## JOHN W. GATES PRE-DICTS GREAT PROSPERITY

WONDERFUL PERIOD OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AT HAND.

Sees the Value of Getting in all the Free Raw Materials Possible, Though a Republican.

New York, July 26.—"I have been a republican all my life, but I can see the value of getting in all the free raw materials we can to open

up all the free American workshops. We have got to have free raw material if we want to be a great manufacturing country," said John W. Gates today, who returned from a three months' trip abroad.

"Wouldn't Canada run us out of the market on free lumber?" was asked.

"You must remember," was the reply, "that if we buy our lumber in Canada our forests will be growing. If Canada cuts all her forests, then we will save ours. It is like wheat and cotton—a question of supply and demand. No matter what conditions are in the United States supply and demand will ultimately govern. I think we are going into the period of the greatest prosperity that the world has ever seen. It will be for three or four years the period of the greatest industrial development the world has ever seen."

"Do you regard the great influx of immigration as a menace? At least 600 undesirable citizens are being deported every week," was the next suggestion.

"As long as grass grows and water runs, undesirables will come to this country," said Mr. Gates, "but for every undesirable there are ninety-nine good immigrants whom we can welcome. This country has not been scratched yet in the way of development, especially in agriculture. There is Texas, with 20 to 25 per cent more area than France, and Texas has 4,000,000 population, while France has about 38,000,000, and the French are a prosperous people. Take California, with its 3,000,000 population. It has the area of Germany, while the last named country has 60,000,000 and Germany is one of the most prosperous countries in the world."

When you want what you want, when you want it, try a want ad in the News.

## TO TEST LEGALITY OF BOARD SALARIES

BELLAMY GIVEN PAY AS HEAD OF BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Lieut.-Gov. Occupying Position While Drawing Pay Fixed by Constitution—Secretary Paid.

Guthrie, Ok., July 26.—It is understood that inquiry is to be made as to the legality of the state banking boards putting its chairman, Lieut. Gov. George Bellamy, on a salary as such while he is occupying the office of lieutenant governor, which itself pays \$1,000 per year, so fixed by the constitution. The banking act designates that the state Banking Board shall be composed of the governor, lieutenant governor, president of the board of agriculture, state treasurer and state auditor, and says that the board shall have the supervision and management of the depositors guaranty fund, and shall have the power to adopt all suitable rules and regulations not inconsistent with the law, for management of the same. The law makes no provision for salaries. Lieut. Gov. Bellamy was made chairman and later his salary fixed at \$125 per month. Roy C. Oakes of Sulphur was employed as secretary at the same pay. At a recent meeting of the board the secretary's salary was increased to \$175 per month, and the chairman was advanced to that figure also. The indication is that a suit will be filed to test the matter.

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\* Be on hand at 5:30 p. m. at \*  
\* the Grand Leader. \$20.00 will be \*  
\* given away and divided in four \*  
\* parts. You must have your tick- \*  
\* ets with you Tuesday, July 27. \*  
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## WRONG SAYS ROCKEFELLER.

After Fortune Has Been Accumulated in Legally Honest Way People Have no Right to Profits from It, Oil Magnate Opines.

New York, July 26.—While he is not quoted directly, a dispatch under a Cleveland, O., date purports to be the sum and substance of John D. Rockefeller's attitude on the proposed income tax.

"His convictions," says the dispatch, "he has expounded in substance as follows: 'When a man has accumulated a sum of money within the law, that is to say, in a legally honest way, the people no longer have any right to share in the earnings resulting from that accumulation. Ex-post facto laws should not apply to property rights. Man's right to undivided ownership of his property in whatever form, cannot be denied him in any process short of confiscation.'"

Concerning the opposition to the income tax with which Rockefeller is credited, it is estimated that it would mean a loss of between \$150,000 to \$400,000 to him on the rough estimate that his income is between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000 annually.

## A Good Contribution.

The News is in receipt of an excellent article on the evil of pistol carrying, from some citizen of Ada who has the proper view of the situation. The article was unsigned or else it would have appeared in yesterday's News. The News appreciates contributions from its subscribers, and it is not necessary for the name of the author to appear in print, but the author must appear on the copy.

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THESE

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If you intend saving money in Children's Clothes you'd better come now while the sizes are still good. They all go at cut prices.

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Drugs and "Things"

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Grand rush during our big clearing sale now going on. This is an undisputed fact, as you can see from the photograph above. This is real and will be lasting. We are now sprinkling our floor with ginger three times a day. Putting push and force and low prices together makes this the biggest and best store in the state.—Texas Department Store, Ada, Oklahoma.

## BASSETT SUSTAINS OPERATION.

Tulsa Editor Will Possibly Survive After Being Found Wounded.

Tulsa, Ok., July 26.—An operation was performed this afternoon upon Mark Bassett, editor of the Tulsa News, mysteriously shot yesterday. He was apparently afforded relief and will prolong his life if not bringing about recovery. The missing diamond and pocketbook were found this afternoon, which still further complicates the mystery.

The murder theory is still strong. It was given out tonight that the shooting of Bassett will not affect the plans of the newspaper, which will appear on or about three weeks.

Try a News "Want Ad."

## "Ramsey's"

Soda Fountain Menu

Ice Cream Soda and Sundaes.

Chocolate	Lemon
Vanilla	Strawberry
Orange	Banana
	Pineapple
Raspberry	
Sarsaparilla	Peach
Sweet Cherry	Nectar
Wild Cherry	Maple
	Mint
Merry Widow	

Phosphates and Plain Drinks.

Wild Cherry	Lemonade
Orange	Pineapple
Mint	Strawberry
Ginger Ale	Pepsin
	Root Beer
	Lemonades.
Plain	Seltzer
Egg	Claret
Fruit	Vichy
San Jose	Allegretti
Pineapple	New York
	Strawberry
	Limeade
	Appollinarisade

Egg Drinks

Egg Chocolate	Egg and Milk
	Egg Phosphate
Egg Malted Milk	Katy Flyer
	Egg Punch
Egg Lemonade	Egg Flip

Fancy Drinks.

Mountain Dew	Carnation Pink
	Cherry Cobbler
Cherry Flip	Royal Cabinet
Grapine	Claret Float
	Root Beer Float
Claret Punch	Mystic Shrine
Elks Punch	Heavenly Twins

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## "Ramsey's"

PHONE NUMBER 6



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Ada, Okla., under the Act of Con-  
gress of March 3, 1879."



## CHAPMAN DISCHARGED FROM CORPORATION COMMISSION

CHAIRMAN LOVE TAKES THE  
INITIATIVE IN THE MATTER.

Binding Rules Broken When Money  
Wah Accepted for Outside Work  
Says Love.

Guthrie, Okla., July 27.—The dis-  
missal of Secretary Chapman of the  
state corporation commission by  
Chairman Love late Saturday night  
and the voiced disapproval of his  
action by Commissioners Watson and  
McAlester, bids fair to create a  
breach in the hitherto amicable re-  
lations of the members of the body and  
create a political situation with many  
phases and much strenuousness.

Mr. Chapman was summarily and  
indefinitely suspended Saturday by  
Chairman Love, following alleged dis-  
closures to Mr. Love of information  
charging Mr. Chapman with receiv-  
ing money from railroads and others  
for documentary material relative to  
the work of the commission. J. L.  
Mileh, of Fort Smith, attorney for the  
Iron Mountain railroad, was at the  
same time forcibly ejected from Mr.  
Love's office while attempting to  
justify his road in paying Mr. Chap-  
man for copies of records, etc.

Love's statement of the matter  
is brief. He says:

"The suspension of Secretary Chap-  
man by the chairman was for violat-  
ing one of the rules of the commis-  
sion by accepting money from out-  
side.

"Our rule is, that when the commis-  
sion employs help, that they give  
all their time, energy and brains to  
the state, and when they fail to do  
this and accept money for work from  
other sources, they must quit."

Mr. Love further said in answer to  
a question: "Mr. Chapman received  
money for furnishing copies of re-  
cords which his duties as secretary  
required that he send out anyhow."

**Differences Spring Up.**  
There is a difference of opinion be-  
tween Mr. Love and Mr. Watson, the  
second member of the commission, as  
to the matter. Commissioner Watson  
insists that Mr. Chapman has been  
guilty of no wrong sufficient to oc-  
casion his discharge as secretary, and  
that the only furnished extra copies  
of records requested by the railroads  
and others concerned and for which  
they offered to pay him a reasonable  
sum.

These records, says Commissioner  
Watson, Mr. Chapman copied at home  
at night, taking no time whatever  
from his official duties for the work.

Mr. Chapman has drawn a salary of  
\$2,000 as secretary, and has been with  
the commission since statehood. E.  
C. Patton is acting as secretary pend-  
ing the formal action of the commis-  
sion in the affair.

**McAlester Here.**

By appointment, J. J. McAlester,  
member of the state corporation com-  
mission, met W. L. Chapman, sec-  
retary of the commission at the  
Threadgill in Oklahoma City last  
night. Mr. McAlester in a statement  
exonerates the secretary of criminal  
intent or acts and admits that he ad-  
vised the secretary to furnish the  
railroad attorneys with the informa-  
tion they desired and to accept com-  
pensation for the same. Mr. Chap-  
man's version of the events leading  
to his suspension is as follows:

**Chapman's Version.**

"Some months ago in the ab-  
sence of Mr. Love from the office of  
the commission at Guthrie, two rail-  
road attorneys asked me if I could  
furnish copies of complaints against  
their roads, which had been receiv-  
ed and docketed by the commission,  
also proposed orders and citations  
which had been promulgated by the  
commission, saying that they desired  
to send the same to their officials,  
who wished to have full knowledge  
of all that had been done by the  
commission."

"I told them I would find out if it

could be done and immediately took  
the matter up with Commissioner Mc-  
Alester as has been stated.

"Mr. McAlester said he saw no rea-  
son why I should not make a num-  
ber of copies and receive pay for the  
work provided it was done out of of-  
fice hours and at home. He further  
advised that I do the work and say  
nothing about it, as it was a perfectly  
legitimate transaction. He stated in  
this connection that secretaries of  
other state corporation commissions  
did the same thing, so did the clerks  
of various courts.

**Did Desired Work.**

Following the commissioner's ad-  
vice and suggestions I furnished a  
number of copies to the attorney re-  
ferred to and others, mailing the  
copies to persons designated by them.  
Copies of both complaints and cita-  
tions were mailed.

"When proposed orders and final  
orders were officially published, cop-  
ies were secured by me, as can be  
verified and published orders and pro-  
posed orders were clipped and mailed  
to persons designated.

**No Advance Information.**

"No advance information was ever  
asked for and none was given. At no  
time was I ever asked to exert any  
influence, if I should have had any,  
with any of the commissioners.

"What I did was after consultation  
and with the consent of Commissioner  
McAlester, believing I was doing no  
wrong and by so doing, did not in  
any way lessen my loyalty to the  
commission or to the people of the  
state.

"This is the first and only state-  
ment I have made at any time to a  
newspaper representative, relative to  
the matter."

**Can See No Wrong.**

Commissioner McAlester said: "I  
wish to state that what Mr. Chapman  
says is absolutely true. I feel that  
neither he or I have committed a  
wrong against either the commission  
or the citizens of the state. My acts  
are known to the public for the past  
forty years and I have never had the  
least hesitancy in telling my story  
plainly, fairly and honestly. The  
truth must always come out in my  
declarations.

"Mr. Chapman is one of the most  
efficient and competent secretaries in  
the state and no other secretary or  
employs in the state does as much  
or more work than he. He has always  
been faithful to his trust, accurate in  
his accounts, and faithful in every  
way to his post.

"His accounting system, I consider,  
the best in the state. He has ever  
been loyal to the commission."

**WHO SHALL WE WORSHIP?**

**"Doctrines Are the Granite Founda-  
tion to the Whole Edifice of  
Christian Ethics."**

Boston, Mass., July 26.—Archbishop  
Ryan of Roman Catholic diocese of  
Philadelphia expressing his views  
concerning new religion founded on  
humanitarianism advanced by ex-  
President Eliot of Harvard says:

"The mere humanitarian theory of  
infidel philosophy when tried, melt-  
ed in the sunshine like the waxen  
pinions of the Athenian artist. France  
sank into the wildest barbarism in  
the reign of terror. This is a lesson  
to posterity of the essential connec-  
tion of Christianity and true civiliza-  
tion.

"One of the most fatal and demor-  
alizing superstitions of this country  
is this attempted separation of mor-  
ality from doctrinal teaching. Doctrines  
are as the granite foundation to  
the whole edifice of Christian  
ethics, and with them that edifice  
must stand or crumble into ruins.  
What underlies the value of holy  
childhood but the doctrine that the  
child has an immortal soul? Abolish  
this, look at the child only in the  
light of its utility to the state and  
soon infanticide will commence again  
and deformed children will be put to  
death when me shall have lost the  
tenderness which christianity has pro-  
duced and fostered.

"Man is a religious being. If he  
worship not God he will worship him-  
self. Deny the doctrines of faith and  
you try to kill christianity and es-  
tablish some form of paganism.

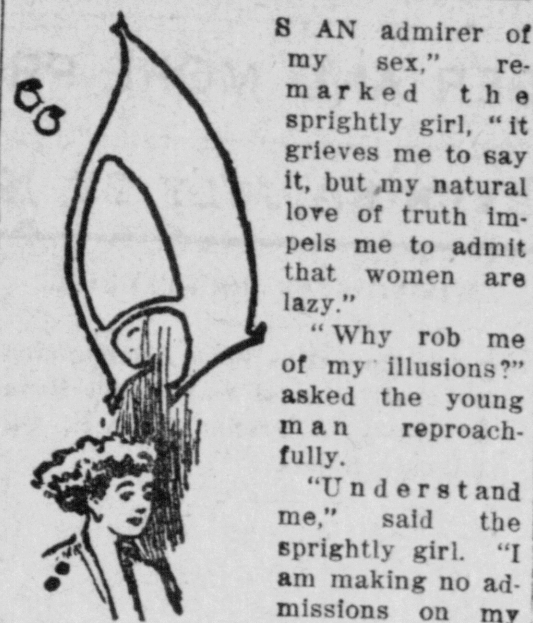
"The popular modern system of  
teaching morality, without the doc-  
trines that motive it, whether that  
system be called christian ethics or  
moral instruction or unsectarian  
teachings is sapping the very founda-  
tion of Christianity and Christian  
civilization."

**McNair Heard From.**

Judge C. A. Powers is in receipt of  
several post cards from I. McNair  
who is out on his summer vacation.  
One was from Joplin, Mo., one from  
Chicago, one from Niagara Falls and  
one from Canada. Around the world  
in 90 days is Mack's slogan, and he  
indicates in each communication that  
he is having an elegant time.

When you want what you want,  
when you want it, try a want ad in  
the News.

## About Lazy Women



know, of course, being a lawyer, that  
no one is compelled to testify against  
one's self, so please bear in mind that  
I am confessing other women's faults  
exclusively when I say women are  
lazy."

"Now I understand perfectly," said  
the young man. "Please proceed."

"I am going to make another ad-  
mission," said the sprightly girl.  
"Some women are not lazy."

"You relieve my mind very much,"  
said the young man.

"Laziness," said the sprightly girl,  
"afflicts nearly all women. If you tell  
any woman that I said so and I find it  
out I shall deny it. I shall deny it  
indignantly."

"There are two kinds of lazy wom-  
en," explained the sprightly girl.  
"There are those who are both men-  
tally and physically inert and those  
who are only physically indolent. The  
latter do not so arouse one's ire as do  
the other kind; still, one cannot help  
wondering that their mentality does  
not suggest to them the value of bal-  
ance. The other kind one comes  
across constantly. They are over-  
stout, complaining if they have to  
stoop to pick up a pin, sighing if they  
must mount a short flight of stairs,  
always taking a car if they have to  
go five or six blocks, entirely too fee-  
ble to attend to any household task  
which requires moving about."

"Do you know, I'm rather enjoying  
this," said the young man. "I feel so  
safe. What you are saying doesn't  
seem to hit me anywhere."

"Of course you gloat," said the  
sprightly girl. "Still, I must proceed  
in the interest of truth. I may never  
descend to treachery of this kind  
again and I have been keeping a lot  
of things about lazy women bottled up  
in my mind for ever so long."

"I understand how you feel," said  
the young man. "Please don't change  
the subject."

"I know a woman," said the spright-  
ly girl, "who goes to the country every  
summer, but she comes back to town  
in the fall more listless and pallid  
than she was when she went away.  
What does she do all through the long  
summer days? She sits and sits and  
sits. She is the greatest sifter I have  
ever seen. Sometimes in an afternoon  
she will move once from piazza to  
tree and then she will make the re-  
turn journey some hours later. That  
is all."

"Still, why call her lazy" asked the  
young man. "Call her placid and ac-  
quire virtue by thus practicing for-  
bearance."

"Bah!" said the sprightly girl.  
"By all means, if you wish it," ac-  
quiesced the young man.

"When this lazy woman comes back  
to town she invariably goes to the  
doctor for a tonic and that is what the  
silly man—"

"Now, now!" protested the young  
man. "You're getting off the subject."  
"Don't be alarmed," said the spright-  
ly girl. "Silly men as a class will have  
to await their turn. The subject is too  
large to treat at this time. As I was  
saying, this silly doctor gives this lazy  
woman a tonic instead of the scolding  
she deserves, so of course he does her  
no good. Then I know another lazy  
woman who trails about the house  
languidly all day—doesn't even go out  
of doors. All she has to show for her  
day is an inch or two of lace. She has  
been making the same waist for  
months. Yet she eats a lunch that  
would serve the purpose of a hodge-  
podge, after which she takes an extend-  
ed nap. Late in the afternoon she  
dresses and thus prepares for her  
first useful service of the day, which  
is ordering things from the market by  
telephone."

"One would hardly call that—er  
strenuous," commented the young  
man.

"I should hope not," said the spright-  
ly girl.

"What would you advise for her?"

"An exciting novel!"

"No!" said the sprightly girl with  
sternness. "Not even a flight of fancy.  
I would put her to work. There are  
lots of women who if they will not  
work ought to be made to exercise  
on a half-mile track until they learn  
the difference between themselves  
and the products of the vegetable  
kingdom."

"Roses, violets, lilies—that sort of  
thing?"

"Cabbages, squash, overripe toma-  
toes—that sort of thing. Do you see  
what I mean?"

"I do," said the young man. "Thank  
you so much. I have enjoyed it im-  
mensely. I have felt so safe—"

"Now it is time," said the sprightly  
girl, "to talk about silly men."

"When Jim boxes, he lands his  
blows very much in the same way as  
his brother, I notice."

"Yes; quite a striking resemblance."

## AT THE VERY LAST

By CYNTHIA GREY

"Is this the place, aunty?"  
"Yes, Bluebell."  
"And is this the very spot where  
you fell after the man said good-by to  
you?"  
"Yes."

"Then you lay back on the beautiful  
green moss and shut your eyes, for  
your ankle hurt just awfully, and then  
a dog whined close to your ear and  
you opened your eyes right into the  
big, beautiful black eyes of a very  
tall, handsome knight, who lifted you  
up in his arms and carried you to  
yonder gate."

"You know the story well, but you  
must not forget that it is a secret."

"I have not forgotten, but you and  
I may talk of it here."

"Yes, you and I may talk of it—until  
to-morrow."

"To-morrow you are to be mar-  
ried. What is he like, that man you  
are to marry—like the knight?"

"No, child, no! Let us talk now of  
the knight, and not of—of him!"

"And after he reached the gate,"  
continued the child, "he lifted you  
way, way up high onto the horse and  
walked, yes, walked every step of the  
way to the house close beside you,  
didn't he?"

"Yes, and then?"

"And then after that he came to the  
house to see you and brought you  
flowers, and books, and music, and  
grew to love you very much, and you  
loved him, and didn't know it for  
a long time, and when you found out  
you sent him away because—for—I  
never knew just for what you sent  
him away, aunty."

"For honor, Bluebell."

"Whose honor?"

"A woman's honor, dear, a woman's  
honor," groaned the woman, and to  
herself: "Heaven knows I love him  
still, and to-night Clarence comes  
back, and to-morrow I shall marry  
him because I promised—promised,  
before I knew what love meant."

"Who was the man who was saying  
good-by to you just before you fell,  
aunty? You never told me."

"His name," said the woman, slow-  
ly, "was Clarence Duncan."

There was a sound of footsteps on  
the gravel path.

"You have come," said the woman,  
rising from among the shadows about  
the door, and she held out her hand.

He pressed his lips to her cool  
forehead. "It seems natural to be  
back," exclaimed Clarence, as he fol-  
lowed her into the hall. "I always  
hung my hat on that hook and my  
coat here. I think I expected to see  
the house in dress-up clothes, ready  
for the—for to-morrow."

"It will all be very simple and  
quiet," said the woman, "if that  
pleases you."

"The simpler the better for me, all  
right," said the man, laughing.

There was the sound of small feet  
running down the hall. "Aunty, aunty,  
here's a letter; I put it away this  
morning and forgot it," and Blue-  
bell clung to her aunt's skirts in a  
tremor of remorse. "Please read it  
right away, for it may be 'portant,  
you know."

To humor the child she tore open  
the letter. "Make yourself comfort-  
able, Clarence; you always liked this  
chair," and she drew the letter from  
the envelope.

The letter was without beginning  
plunging at once into a subject which  
evidently absorbed the writer.

"I know I ought not to write to you  
but I am sure you would understand  
and forgive me if you knew how my  
heart aches. Clarence doesn't know  
that I am writing. He went away as  
soon as we found out how much we  
cared for each other. He is coming  
back to you because he promised, long  
ago, and he is breaking his heart and  
mine. I thought, maybe, if you knew  
you would save us. Forgive me, for-  
give me, I am so unhappy."

"This letter will interest you, Claren-  
ce."

"So," smiled Clarence; "it is a wom-  
an's writing—why—" and he flushed  
hotly, "she should not have writ-  
ten; I—I—"

"Read it," said the woman, softly.  
"The letter is very important. Blue-  
bell, it has something to do with our  
secret. Will you tell the story to Mr.  
Duncan?"

"The one about the handsome  
knight?"

"Yes."

The little girl told the story to the  
wondering man, pausing here and  
there to look at her aunt, who al-  
ways nodded for her to go on. "And at  
the very last—but this part is all my  
secret, for I have never told even  
aunty—at the very last, the knight  
came back on his big black horse that  
pranced and jumped and made aunty  
and the knight laugh a great deal."

That night Hugh Vernon received a  
telegram which read: "All is well;  
can you come home?"

Less to Do.

"The late Russell Sturgis," said a  
New York architect, "continually  
marveled at the swift passage of time.  
This great architect and critic con-  
tinually found new examples of the  
swift way men grow old and ugly  
while still believing themselves  
young."

He repeated to me one day a re-  
mark he had heard in a barber shop.  
"An old chap, with hardly a hair on  
his head, snapped at the young bar-  
ber, on the completion of a haircut:

"You are not the thorough work-  
man your father was, my boy. He  
used to take a good half-hour to cut  
my hair."

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## MADE UP ANOTHER PACKAGE.

Congressman Had Misunderstood  
Friend's Embarrassed Allusions  
to Father-in-Law.

A prominent member of congress,  
who is a teetotaler, but who usually  
keeps a little scrumptious and ancient  
whisky on hand to distribute at irregu-  
lar intervals to his friends, stopped  
one of these friends—who happens to  
be one of the best-known employes at  
the capitol—in a corridor the other  
day.

"Better come around," said the con-  
gressman, "for I've just received a  
case of the same old stuff. Mighty  
old and fine—better come."

The friend looked real cheerful for a  
moment, but then his face attained re-  
pose again and he hesitated.

"Well—er—" said he, "I'm much  
obliged, but father-in-law is visiting  
me and—er—I—"

"Oh, never mind that," said the  
member, "just you come along and  
bring father-in-law, too. I'll wrap up  
the package so he'll never know it is  
whisky."

"But," said the friend, "I wasn't  
think—"

"Hush," said the member, "do as I  
tell you. You bring father-in-law, if you  
can't get out without bringing him,  
and he'll never know what's in the  
package."

And the member blew away, leaving  
the friend biting his lips and looking  
foolish.

On the appointed evening friend and  
father-in-law arrived on time—the fa-  
ther-in-law a distinguished looking  
gentleman of the old school, reserved  
and dignified to a degree. Finally,  
after they had chatted for a little  
while the congressman had begun to  
wonder, after gazing at the father-in-  
law, whether he had really wrapped up  
the whisky in sufficient of a disguise,  
father-in-law opened his mouth and  
spoke.

"James," said he to the friend, his  
son-in-law, "I beg to remind you that  
it is getting late and that we have an  
engagement. I dislike to hasten you  
but I would suggest that we take the  
whisky and go."

Whereupon the member, who had  
misunderstood and misinterpreted the  
friend's suggestion about "father-in-  
law being in town," laughed until he  
cried and then trotted upstairs and  
made it two packages instead of one.  
"By gracious," said he the next day  
at the capitol, "the whole blamed  
family is thirsty."

**Mrs. Taft's Five O'Clock Teas.**

Mrs. Taft is conducting a veritable  
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room of the White House, and those  
who feel entitled to pay their respects  
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making. She brews the drink herself  
deftly. She uses a tea ball given to  
her by the Civic league of Manila. It  
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sugar, to which a few drops of lemon  
juice are added. The result is ex-  
hilarating. Chips of nuts or sticks of  
sugared cakes are served with the tea  
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Mrs. Will Rives of Greenville, Tex., is visiting Mrs. Jno. McKinley and Mrs. V. Hale.

Mrs. C. C. Barnhart was called to Stratford today to nurse a typhoid fever patient.

Some new patterns in iron beds, see our big line and save yourself a dollar or so. Texas Department Store.

Remember the singing class at Asbury church Friday evening at 8:30. You are invited to be there.

Miss Sallie McCain came down from Oklahoma City where she is in school and spent the day with homefolks.

In our big line of rocking chairs we have three dozen at the regular \$4.50 kind in rattan that will go at \$3.48. Texas Department Store.

Miss Mary Simpson, who has been visiting her brother, R. W. Simpson, and family, returned to her home, Florence, Ala.

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W. F. Wilbanks and wife, and her brother, Rev. W. A. Pendergrass, from Cabott, Ark., are visiting Prof. F. J. Wilbanks of this city.

### Political Encampment.

Socialists and Farmers Union enthusiasts are circulating a petition for funds to secure for Ada a six days political encampment. If the scheme carries political speakers from far and near will be present and a whole week devoted to a program of speaking and entertainment.

### Negroes Coming Slow.

George Warren, the negro who shot Frank Hatcher, has not yet been captured. More men were put in the field today and the country is being scoured for the fleeing man. As far as could be ascertained today nothing has been reported that looked like favorable progress. While the officers seem confident of capturing their man there has been little reported that would tend to substantiate the confidence.

### Prospects of Rain.

People who have been uneasy over crop prospects in this section for the past several weeks were greatly elated this morning when a gentle shower began falling and continued until about noon. Though the rain was light it was sufficient to be of great benefit to the crops, and it is likely that there will be more. The weather report today indicates that more rain is due in this section, and this information will be hailed with delight.

### TELEPHONE RATE CASE.

Pioneer Company Is Charged With Contempt in Raising Service Charges.

The corporation commission has set July 30 as the date for hearing the case of Oklahoma City against the Pioneer Telephone company concerning the rates of service in Oklahoma City. The company was cited for contempt for a violation of order 101 of the commission, which provides that no transmission company shall raise its rates without first submitting the matter in full to the commission and securing its consent to the raise.

City Attorney Twyford said Monday that he believed the corporation commission was acting within its jurisdiction, and that he will set these facts up in the petition which he is now preparing. He further holds that the franchise of the company will not excuse it from regulation by the corporation commission.

## GORE STARTS SOMETHING.

Some Oklahomans Not in Sympathy With Blind Senator's Views.

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Opinion varies here among democratic congressmen as to the wisdom of Senator Gore's remark in Kansas City on Saturday, when he reported to have said in an interview that republicans such as Victor Murdock of Kansas, who had consistently fought against Cannonism, should have no democratic opposition in their districts for re-election.

Many democratic members of congress agree with Gore, but feel he is hitting the high places and treading on dangerous ground.

It is argued that Speaker Cannon might hand out some real nice committee assignments to the republican insurgent leaders and that they would then cease their anti-Cannon cry. In that case, democrats would be left with the sack to hold if Senator Gore's theory prevailed.

### JEROME IS BACK IN CHARGE.

Consequently Harry Thaw Finds Something Doing in His Hearing as to Sanity.

White Plains, N. Y., July 26.—The severest ordeal of Harry Thaw's struggle for freedom from the Matteawan hospital for the criminal insane began today when District Attorney Jerome of New York took charge of the case for the state. It is expected that Thaw will go on the witness stand in his own behalf.

Dr. Henry Schmidt, an expert, was the first witness called today. He stated that Thaw's mental condition is normal. In the course of his testimony he stated that Thaw once told him, in discussing the killing of Stamford White that he was sometimes surprised at himself that he felt no remorse for his act.

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### NORRIS TO REMAIN AT HEAD.

Chairman Norris Consults Himself and Concludes He is Necessary to Party's Welfare.

Oklahoma City, July 26.—Joe Norris, chairman of the state republican central committee and recently appointed chief inspector in Indian affairs, here Sunday, following a conference with leading republicans of the state, decided to retain his position as chairman of the committee.

There is slight opposition among some party members in the state to Norris maintaining his position at the head of the committee, but the old heads in the organization believe there is nothing to be gained by selecting a new chairman now. There will be no change, according to present plans, until time for the next reorganization.

Mr. Norris will return to Washington the last of the month to assume the duties of his new position.

### To Guard the Wall.

Chandler, Okla., July 26.—Under orders issued today a detachment of four members of the national guard will be sent with two Colt's automatic machine guns to McAlester, where they will be on duty as guards at the state penitentiary until further orders. The wall around the temporary penitentiary is being closed and will be completed within a short time.

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## REV. WILSON SPEAKS ON GOOD CITIZENSHIP

A FEW PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS FROM HIS SUNDAY SERMON.

Speaks of Law Violation in This Community and Suggests the Remedy.

In his sermon last Sunday morning Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, spoke of the responsibilities and duties of christians in their relation to society and to government. We present a portion of the sermon in substance.

All duties have a divine warrant and foundation. Whatever ought to do at all he owes it to God to do. Christianity claims the whole life; its hand is laid upon all our powers. It is a fatal mistake, and not less fatal because it is frequent to suppose that a part of one's life belongs to God and a part of it to any other Lord whatsoever. Many speak and act as if they belonged to God on Sunday, in a sense they do not belong to him on Monday—as if they owed him an allegiance at the altar from which they are free in the work shop, in the counting room, in social life, and at the ballot box.

While there are duties peculiar to the house of prayer and other duties peculiar to the place of labor, nevertheless, it is true that he who is truly a christian in one place is a christian in all places; that he who is truly a christian in one relation is a christian in all relations.

Whether you eat or drink or labor, whether you pray or sing or preach, whether you pay taxes or vote or hold office you are to do all to the glory of God and in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. We are under obligation to be Christ-like in every relation of life. It is well therefore for us to inquire what are the essential requisites of good citizenship. A real christian must be a good citizen.

A good citizen is patriotic. In a government like ours we cannot discharge the duties we owe to the country unless we love it. We delight to honor and praise the heroes who have risked their lives on the battle field in the defense of our homes, our liberties and our native land and this is well. But we should not forget that we honor them best when the same patriotic love we devote ourselves to the solution of problems now confronting us. A good citizen is a law abiding and a law upholding citizen. Whether as a private citizen or as a public official he obeys and upholds the law. Just laws are never oppressive to a man who desires to do right, they are oppressive only to men who desire to do wrong. The commandments of God are not grievous to a good man, but they become binding, unpleasant and oppressive to a man who walks in evil ways. It is the function of government to command what is right and to prohibit what is wrong. Every loyal, patriotic citizen will give his support to the government in its efforts to fulfill its mission. Those were loyal devoted citizens who signed their names to the declaration of independence, notwithstanding they knew by this act they were putting everything upon the altar of their country for if they failed now it meant the confiscation of their property and their execution as traitors. It seems to me that the time is upon us when another declaration of independence must be made. I do not mean a formal declaration against a tyrannical king; but a declaration that we are free and by right ought to be free and independent and that we propose no longer to be held in subjection by the corruption—political, governmental, and social corruption that has fastened itself upon us; and that we shall rise in the defense of home and of virtue and that the usurpers of the throne upon which righteousness should sit shall at once surrender it to its rightful owner.

Our local situation is to be deplored and is giving anxiety to our very best citizens. Crime follows crime in quick succession and there seems to be no effective barrier to this rising tide. We must awake to the seriousness of this situation. The time has come for every good citizen to give his entire influence to the support of those charged with the execution of our laws, with the suppression of crime, with the apprehension and punishment of criminals. If with this support our officials are not able to give us relief let them give place to others who can. The condoning and excusing any violation of the law by officials or by citizens is a grave mistake. I have been told recently that there are dozens of men on the streets of Ada who are carrying pistols. Ordinarily the man who violates the law by "toting" a pistol is a coward, a coward that should be speedily abated. I do not say that every man who is carrying a pistol is a coward. When officers

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fail to apprehend and to punish according to law desperate and cowardly men who are carrying concealed weapons in violation of the law, good and brave men are driven to the necessity of arming themselves for the defense of life and for the protection of themselves, their families and their property. This is a state of affairs that should not exist. We have a right to demand that our officers shall disarm the lawless rather than to give them permission to violate the law. The ready pistol is responsible for many murders. Widows are mourning and children are wailing today who would not have this occasion for grief if pistol "toters" had received the punishment and treatment provided by law for this crime. Officers and citizens who have condoned the crime and have failed in their duty to suppress it must share in the responsibility of the crimes which have followed.

If some foreign foe were threatening our nation and a call should be issued for volunteers to meet and to repel the invading enemy there would be no lack of brave men to respond. A foe within the midst of us is more to be dreaded than any outside our borders. We have now in our very midst an evil that is destroying the good reputation of our community, robbing our people of the confidence that their lives and properties are safe, threatening us with serious financial, commercial, and social loss and disaster. Shall the liberty loving, the law-abiding men and women of this community rise at once to banish the evils that are defiantly seeking to dominate in our midst and to restore peace and justice to their rightful place.

Men who are violating the law by selling intoxicants or by "toting" pistols, or by the commission of any other crime should be apprehended at once and properly punished. All good citizens will be found ready to assist in the very important work of wresting our community from the grasp of the lawless.

### GOVERNOR JIM CROWED?

Gets in Wrong Coach But Makes a Hasty Change.

Governor Charles N. Haskell, jim-crowed by the Jim Crow law, is what happened one day last week, according to a story which is going the rounds among the intimate friends of the governor here. The governor was enroute to Muskogee from Guthrie and was absorbed in a discussion of Senator Aldrich and the tariff with three fellow passengers when they changed to the M. K. & T. train at Osage Junction.

Shortly after the train started the train auditor engaged the attention of the governor long enough to point to a sign "For Negroes" which the governor and his friends, deeply engrossed in the tariff argument, had overlooked.

A hasty change of coaches was made by the governor and a number amid the laughter of a party of negro passengers who recognized the governor and thoroughly enjoyed the incident.

### Scare at the Jail.

For some reason or other the electric lights went out last night about 1:30, and it is related that the prisoners at the county jail were considerably exercised, thinking perhaps that they were going to be visited by an uninvited delegation of citizens. The scare of course was without any ground of provocation, as there are no negroes in the jail at this time and little danger of mob violence even if there were.

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### A Midsummer Day's Dream

With a swish and a dash and a double-width smile, the Typewriter Lady burst into the office.

"O, girls, hello—I mean—good—morning—I'm—talking—about! Let me get my things off. There, that's better. Now, guess what I've done!" And the Typewriter Lady beamed about her.

"Got married."

"Got a raise."

"Got a bargain hat."

"No, you silly children. Something much better. I've been offered a house in the country for the summer." And the T. L. seated herself triumphantly and played a barcarolle on her machine, with variations.

"There's a lady at our boarding house who owns this lovely old place in the country. The people she rents it to are going abroad for the summer and my sister and I are to have it free for the whole season, just for taking care of it.

"We're just waiting for salary day, so we can buy the few things we'll need for it. You see it isn't quite completely furnished—that is, we'll need a few porch chairs and some extra table linen, and some bath fixtures. The bath fixtures are my idea. I always did have a perfect craze for bath fixtures.

"You can all come and spend week ends. Why, I can hardly wait for the first of the month to buy my commutation ticket. And, say, I understand there's a summer school out there for young men! Aha, I thought that'd bring out a few sparkles indicating interest. I think it's sort of a preparatory school where they get them ready for college—and you know boys that are being prepared for college usually have fathers who aren't exactly what you'd call poor. Oh, I have a perfectly glorious summer planned."

"I say, Hortense," chimed in the One Practical Girl, "have you been out to see the place?"

"Not yet. We're going Saturday afternoon, so as to be there when they deliver the porch chairs and the linen and the bathroom accessories."

The One Practical Girl smiled inscrutably. "Once upon a time," said she, "I bought a suit through seeing it illustrated in the back of a magazine. It was a perfectly grand suit—in the picture. My wash-lady is wearing it. Every time I see it on her I have pangs of conscience to think how I made a fellow creature a victim to something I wouldn't tolerate myself. She has never reproached me in words. She just persistently wears the suit—the moral of this tale being that you never can tell until you see things." And the One Practical Girl went on sharpening her lead pencil.

On Monday morning the Typewriter Lady's desk remained closed. The girls had been breathlessly awaiting her account of the country paradise, of how the porch looked garnished with its new chairs, of the splendor of the nickel soap dish, the towel racks, the dollar-twenty-nine-reduced-from-one-fifty-shower bath, and all the rest that was to bring summer refreshment to the city-worn office ladies.

At noon came Hortense, wearing the blank expression of a magician whose trick has gone awry—who has failed to make the rabbits come out of the hat—and who dreads the jeers of the audience. One could see with half an eye that the tears were being held back with a mighty effort. The One Practical Girl slipped her arm swiftly around her shoulder.

"Don't you care, Hortense, I bet I know just exactly what's happened. Didn't I buy that suit out of the magazine? But, I say, don't you care. You can make up what you're out of pocket by having ten-ten lunches, same as I did for a couple of months, and you'll feel all the better for it, I—"

"It isn't the money," wailed the downcast one, "half so much as it is the meanness of that woman misrepresenting things to me like that. I remember her distinctly mentioning 'the tub.' The tub! It makes me rage when I think of it! Imagine the picture of my nickel plated soap rack attached to the side of a disintegrating wooden washtub, and my perfectly grand patent nozzle shower bath hooked on to the branch of a tree somewhere, rigged up over the tub—"

"Hortense!!!"

"In a tent, in a tent, of course! There wasn't any bathroom! And the porch chairs! Oh, girls, it makes me weep to think of my beautiful porch chairs sitting out in the middle of the dusty road, being run over every minute by automobiles! They'd have to sit there, you see, for there wasn't any porch! And the front door opened right on to the road. And as for table linen! What would be the use of table linen if you had to eat canned food all the time? You could just make a picnic of it and have it out in the woods, or anywhere, for all they had was a coal stove to cook on, and I'd rather go without eating than to have to make fires and things every night when I get home. And the preparatory school? Oh, girls, oh, girls! I hope none of you have really set your hearts on that part of it! The preparatory school is for boys under fifteen. Pass the smelling salts!"

"I've been the whole morning going the rounds of the stores trying to make them take back the bath fixtures and the porch chairs and the table linen. But all I ask now is to be allowed to stay in town all summer, close to an electric light, the boarding house table and a bath tub!"

### "HER SECOND WIND"

By W. C. SCOTT

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Out of the night that covers me,  
Black as the pit from pole to pole,  
I thank whatever gods may be  
For my unconquerable soul.

She stood at the window and looked out into the street, her form displayed to advantage in a close-fitting suit (her last; all the others had been sold) of stylish cut, against the daylight glare.

"Wait for my second wind?" she scornfully cried; "I'd starve!"

"There's Van Court; but not that!" She gazed into the mirror at a white, haggard face, illuminated by two wild eyes. The reflection startled her. She impulsively pressed her fingers to her eyes and shuddered. Then she clenched her white hands—fear should not shake her resolve. Death must be welcome; the uncertainty of the nature of the hereafter could not alter her intention. The frowns of Fortune had driven her on. Surely it was not her fault if she was not superior to the ills of life that menaced her. Her life was her own; she had no further use for it, and would end it all. With a steady hand she opened the dresser drawer (empty) and took out a small bottle. Fascinated, she gazed at the label, and with a strange exultation she read: "Carbolic acid."

"It was the cheapest—and it is certain!" She put the bottle down and her eyes fell upon her check book. She smiled bitterly. "Oh, I'm so hungry, but of what use are you to me?" She picked the book up aimlessly, and at the contact a hot thought hissed into her bewildered brain. Her eyes glared and her cheeks flared a dull red. "Why not? Why not?" she panted. Now her limbs were trembling, and she sat down abruptly. But in an instant she stood up rigid, the thought still hissing in her brain.

"I'll do it! It is—my—second—wind!"

And then a hopeless expression clouded the glitter in her eyes and she sank limply back into the chair moaning: "No, no! Let me think!"

Suddenly a harsh exclamation leaped from her dry lips. She leaped to her feet and ran across the room to the dresser.

"I'm getting it—my second wind," the woman panted.

She looked at the face in the mirror with new interest. It was pale, but calm, determined; and the large eyes were steady, resolute and fearless. Deftly she rearranged her hair; put on her hat and veil, and taking the check book went out into the hall. She tapped on a door to the left. A middle-aged lady opened it.

"Oh, Mrs. Warner, I wonder if you would allow me to wear your furs downtown. I have some good news. You know where my own are."

"Why, my dear girl, of course you can. I hope it will be your second wind, as you call it. And, now, when you come back I want you to stay for supper, Miss Roberts," invited Mrs. Warner, as she brought the furs.

"Thank you; oh, thank you so much! I know this will turn out all right. It has got to," she whispered to herself as she ran down to the street. She looked very stylish, and as she turned into Macbeth-Ward's piano store, the manager himself sprang forward to open the door.

"A piano? Ah, yes. Please step this way, lady. Here is an elegant upright, mahogany, for \$800, five per cent off for cash."

"Yes, lady, the first tuning is free of charge. You would like to hear its tone? Simpson; here, please."

"I would like a higher tone," declared Miss Roberts.

"We will change it," said the manager.

"Thank you. Then, I'll take this instrument. You will deliver it tomorrow? Oh, the next day; very well. The address—Miss Nanie Roberts, 1728 Fairview place. You said five per cent off for cash? I'll pay you now; the amount is, let me see—\$760. Isn't that right?" she asked as she produced the check book. The manager bowed and handed her an elegant fountain pen. She smiled deprecatingly, and pushed the check book over to him.

"Would you mind filling it out? I'm not familiar with the—the—thank you so much." He wrote the check and she signed it. Then, smiling, he bowed her out with an elaborate flourish.

"I don't know her, and she was easy, so I just raised it a hundred," laughed the manager to his assistant. "Good instrument, though."

At four o'clock the next day there was a hurried rap on Miss Roberts' door. She drew a quick breath, opened it and confronted a small boy who thrust an envelope into her hand. She broke the seal.

It contained a note and her check. The note ran: "Some error—no funds; please call, Macbeth-Ward's Piano Co."

"I'll arrange to drop in to-morrow," she said to the boy, and closed the door. Flushed and trembling, she rushed to the window and inspected the returned check. Yes, thank goodness!—there was the piano company's bold indorsement on the back; and the bank teller had neglected to mark the check. She hurried out and down to the bank (not the same bank). In an hour she was seated in a parlor car steaming away from self-destruction and the town she hated to think about. On her pale face was a happy smile, and the cause in her pocket, a roll of greenbacks she had wisely exchanged gold for. "Of two sins I chose the lesser, and one I can undo some day;" and, she added, softly: "I have my second wind."

### TO IRON WHITE UNDERSKIRT.

Directions That Will Result in Perfect Success if They Are Implicitly Followed.

To iron a white undershirt, begin at the strings and waistband, then take the bottom of the skirt. Iron all round on the right side with a very hot iron, then iron the first frill. This frill will probably have sewed work or lace; in either case it must be nicely ironed on the wrong side.

Probably above the frill there will be tucks or hems; they must next be ironed over the wrong side, afterward on the right; rub the iron the way of the hem.

If there is a second frill the cloth under the frill is ironed at the same time as the hem or tucks and the frill again ironed on the wrong side. Put skirtboard into the skirt and place each end of the board on a table, thus allowing the skirt to hang over the board. It can thus be easily ironed and nicely finished. Afterward fold it lengthwise and hang up to air. When folded, let the band be turned down twice and the bottom of the skirt be outside.

If the skirt is of fine muslin with lace frills or fine frills, it ought to be starched with ordinary hot water starch, then hung up to dry. When nearly dry sprinkle with water and roll up tightly for a few hours till it all becomes equally damp; then iron as directed above.

If possible, the clothes should be toasted and turned in front of a good, lasting fire, if not, they should be hung up in a warm room. On warm, sunny days this airing may be done out of doors, care being taken that the clothes are brought in before the dew begins to fall. If the process of airing clothes is neglected it may cause serious results, even endanger lives.

### FOR THE BEST FRYING FAT.

Mixture is Better Than the Pure Lard —Beef Suet Has a Distinct Value.

The best frying fat is not pure lard, but lard mixed with half its weight of clarified drippings, beef, veal or chicken. Of course they should have no vegetable flavor and no smoked meat drippings. Beef suet may be purchased and tried out and mixed with lard. It is not good to use by itself, because it is more liable to soak into the food that is being cooked. To clarify choice drippings, soak 24 hours in cold water, changing twice, then cut and melt in water or milk and water, allowing one-half a cup of milk to every pound of fat.

Fat should always be kept in tinware, never in earthen. Agate is not good for fat cooking. When you have finished the daily frying strain the hot fat to remove all crumbs and sediment. Though thermometers are made to test the temperature of the fat when frying, there are two tests used by cooks that are practical. One of them consists in heating the fat until a blue smoke commences to rise from the center, then drop in a piece of stale bread, which should brown in a moment. A piece of potato may be used in place of the bread. A frying basket, in which foods can be lifted from the fat, shaken and drained, is a great convenience to any one who does much deep fat frying. When taking up fried articles lay for a moment on a cheesecloth square or clean brown paper to absorb the superfluous fat.

### Cooking Instructions.

Never grease your pie plate or tin. There should be enough lard in your pie crust to prevent it from sticking to the plate. By mixing a two-quart pail of flour and lard for pie crust on a day when you have not much to do, baking day is made easier. Also when you want to make one pie in a hurry it saves time and labor to add only water and roll out the crust. If one has a large family or bakes many pies it would be all right to mix larger quantities. In warm weather it is best to mix about what would be used in a week or ten days.

### Chocolate Apple Custard.

Stew apple quarters until clear, but do not let them cook to pieces, and line a pudding dish about two-thirds full. In another bowl mix one cup of hot milk, four whole eggs, two tablespoons of grated chocolate and about two tablespoons of sugar. Flavor the apple sauce with lemon and the custard with vanilla. Pour the custard slowly over the apple sauce, put the pudding dish in a pan of water and bake in moderate oven until the custard is done. Serve with whipped cream. This makes a delicious dessert for six or eight people.

### Cold Bean Croquettes.

Here is a nice way of using cold beans in croquettes: I get them ready at night, so it takes just a moment to cook them for breakfast. Mash two cups baked beans, yolks of one or two eggs, one tablespoon melted butter, pinch of salt. Form into cones. Roll in cracker crumbs. I do not coat with egg, as they are rather moist, and I find the cracker crumbs stick on all right.—Boston Globe.

### Adds Flavor to Cherries.

A delicious flavor is added to the maraschino cherries used in or as a decoration for a fruit or other salad by stuffing them with pecan meats chopped rather coarse.

### Blemishes from Wall Paper.

A great many blemishes on wall paper may be removed with a rubber on a lead pencil.

### Bleach Ivory in the Sun.

After cleaning ivory expose it to the sun. This assists in bleaching it.

### Church Directory

**Asbury Methodist Church.**  
Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each month.  
Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.  
Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.  
Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesdays of each month.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

**Presbyterian Church.**  
Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Sunday school 9:45, W. C. Dunlap, superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. J. R. Union, 4 p. m., S. R. Union 7 p. m. Ladies Aid and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:15 p. m. C. STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.

**Christian Church**  
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smootz, pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.  
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. first Thursday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.  
The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

**First Methodist Church.**  
Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

**North Ada Baptist Church.**  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

### LODGE DIRECTORY.

**W. O. W.**  
Ada Camp, No. 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

**Ada Aerie, No. 1740.**  
Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

**I. O. O. F.**  
Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

**Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 146.**  
Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

### RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

**FRISCO.**  
Eastbound.  
No. 508 due 9:15 a. m.  
No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.  
Westbound.  
No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.  
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

**M. K. & T.**  
Southbound.  
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.  
Northbound.  
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

**OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.**  
Westbound.  
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.  
Eastbound.  
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

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